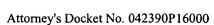
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 2, 2005, requesting an election of claims for examination purposes, Applicants elect Group I drawn to claims 19-37 without traverse. Accordingly, Applicants withdraw claims 1-18.